very unpopular with the students. field's arrival, I had occasion to visit B breathless, into the recitation-room, and murdered!" on business. On my way back to the whispered a few words in the ear of our college, along the dusty country road, a president, who immediately rose and voice hailed me.

the road, and occupied by a man known ises. Do any of you know aught of as old Diogenes, and that it was this in- this?" dividual who had addressed me.

a victim of profound melancholy, and the mystery. the popular belief was that he had been A few weeks after the disappearance ies and chosen a life of solitude. But whether this supposition had any foundfor old Diogenes quickly resented the of his little cabin was as scrupulously neat as the college lecture hall, and himself as neat as any of our profess-

"You've got a new professor at the college?" he said.

"He rode past here the other day on his way from the railaoad station to the college. He's a very peculiar looking "Dr. Abel Fairfield," I replied.

eminent in the profession." "Dr. Abel Fairfield!" replied old Dieh? A shining light in the profession?

"He is, undoubtedly," I answered. "Well, Mr. Willoughby, I want you to tell this eminent physician that I desire him to visit me at this place to-night

"You wish 'him to visit you!" I exclaimed involuntarily. "I wish him to visit me. Why not?" Tell him that-that Mr. Vandevere desires to see him."

"Mr. Vandevere?" "I said so," was the reply. "Good day,

Mr. Willoughby." I was too well used missal, so bidding him good morning, 1

old Diogenes's message. When I mem- them. tioned the name of Vandevere he ex-"Vandevere! Vandevere, did you say,

Mr. Willoughby?" paler, and that his voice trembled. I

replied in the affirmative. "I never heard the name before in my life," he quickly added. "What sort of

a looking person is this Vandevere or Diogenes, or whatever the name is?" I described the recluse's personal ap-

"Really, Mr. Willoughby," Dr. Fairfield said with a laugh when I had fin ished, "I am quite curious to see the fellow. I'll go to him. But what can place two years now; and am resigned to he want of me?" "I fancy he wishes your professional

advice, sir, I replied. "He suffers from the heart disease. He has had two very severe attacks, the last of which came near ending his life. As he is aware that you are very eminent in the profession, I conjecture that he desires your opinion and assistance." 'Very likely, very likely" Dr. Fair-

field said; "I'll see him to-night."

The next morning when all students were assembled in the lecture room of the college, the president Dr. Darose and said: "Gentlemen, I have an announcement to make. The man whom you have all known as old Diogenes is dead and-"

"Dead!" exclaimed Dr. Fairfield, who sat upon the platform near the president,

He seemed laboring under great ex-

Dr. D. frowned slightly at this interruption, but replied: "He died of heart dashed, a complaint to which he was me to hasten to his bedside, as he had a like the wind on the pickle barrel, addressing the between St. Pierre and Duxbury 177 of a second. So that the two branches were standing at the window, was stunned by cracker-box with a cheese knife, "you had it. But what's the use? It takes subject. He was found dead in his but secret of importance to communicate to This is natural, if not logical. Adverat an early hour this morning by one of me. I obeyed the summons at once. tising is an indication of intelligence, the villagers."

"I visited him last evening, at his own request, and found him suffering intensely. I promised to call again this exclaimed, simultaneously. morning. And so he is dead? Dear,

Our dignified president was evidently tion from his subordinate but he contin-

me which one of the villagers found in the old man's hut. It is a will dated several years back, and is signed with his true name, Richard Vandevere. In it he ly disinterred and placed in the dissecleaves his body to the college, requesting ting-room, where they now lie under it being his desire to-"

"His body to be dissected here!" with me." gasped Dr. Fairfield, rising from his

SOMERSET, OHIO: FRIDAY, APRIL 14, 1876.

MISCELLANY.

"The body will be here in the course the rude box in which Richard Vandefirst impression regarding him, which of the day," continued the president, vere's body had been brought to the were not favorable. He came on horse- not noticing the interruption. "It will college a year before. The atmosphere back from the neighboring town of B be dissected to-morrow morning in the of the room was stifling. Dr. D-

ing a but erected a short distance from devere has disappeared from the prem- had been accustomed to awe us.

people, for want of a knowledge of his could not be found. When a week had ducer, when in London, where I lived holes in the trees should be seared with true name, had twenty years before ar- passed, and no clue to the mystery had in 1845. It suddenly occurred to me a hot iron, and swabbed with wax. rived at this spot and erected the hut in been obtained, the president sent to that Dr. Fairfied bore a wonderful re-He would answer no questions, and ployed for several weeks; but who final. cedents to be made, the result of which to run freely through the timber. In would encourage no intimacy either ly abandoned the search in despair. We confirmed my suspicious, though I will like manner the wires go through 11 in.

disappointed in love, and had for this of Richard Vandevere's body I visited reason eschewed the world and its vanit- his former home, which had by this time gained the reputation of being haunted, and was consequently let severely alone ation in fact, no one was able to learn, by the country people. The place had assumed an indescribable air of desolaslightest appearance of an attempt to tion. Most of the movable furniture penetrate his secret. Certain students of had been stolen; the door stood open, the college, myself among the number, the little windows were darkened with occasionally visited him, and found him innumerable cob-webs, the floor was a rarely intellectual man, thoroughly dusty, and covered with beetles, which educated, and wonderfully well informed on all subjects. His personal appearand a homeless dog which had taken ance was very prepossessing. He was refuge in a corner of the hut made a hastall, very straight and well proportioned, ty exit as I entered. My motive in viswith fine Grecian features, and clear iting the cabin was to search for some olive complexion. His hair and beard clue to Richard Vandevere's past history. were very thick, and of a dark brown I thought it possible that some book, color. His mode of living was not, as some scrap of paper might exist by one might have supposed, productive of which I could learn something of the slovenly or filthy habits. The interior man's life and of the motives which had

prompted him to sever his connection with the world and retire to this lonely spot. After an hour's unsuccessful search I noticed that the hearth-stone seemed loosely fitted in its place. I liftyou?" was my response to old Diognes's ed it and found under it a number of books, which I eagerly examined. All but one were medical and scientific

works; upon the cover of this one were the words "The Diary of Richard Vandevere, M. D., of London, England." The entries in this book entries in this book extended over a period of three years-from 1845 to 1848; twenty years before the date when they first is from a Massachusetts city, and is very met my eyes. I make such extracts from

am, my dear wife, is placed beyond the

Ralph Arlington, has stolen from me my practical eye that he was recovering. A generations, will result in the formation believe in heaven and the angels, has deways to be offended at this abrupt dis forged my name to a draft on the bank him? If I spared his life I was rained! portion of the body. There are Chinese missal, so bidding him good morning. I shilling I possess in the world. * e blilling I possess in the world. * e blilling

May 30 .- It is useless to continue the search. I can find no trace of them. I will leave them to the punishment of heaven. I am weary, worn and heart broken. * * Never again will 1 I fancied that his face turned a shade place confidence in any human being. Worldly honor, once so dear to leave England at once and forever;

> in a steamer which sails for New York The following entries described his voyage, arrival in the new country and settlement near B----. The last words

in the book were as follows:-July 1, 1848 - Have been in this

I carried the diary to President D-He read it, then said: "Mr. Willoughby, let the poor fellow's sad story remain our secret-for the present at least."

A year passed. The mysterious affair of which I have written had long since lost its interest to the students and the townspeople and had ceased to be the one all-absorbing subject of conversa-

On the morning of June 4, 1867. Prestdent D-summoned Walter Clayton, a student, and myself to his room When we had entered he closed the door. His face wore an unusually serious expression.

"Gentlemen," he began, "you have heard of the death of old George Garri-

"The sexton of the Episcopal church?" I said; "yes, sir, he died three days agodid he not?"

"Yes, Gentleman, just previous to his "Ah! he was in a bad way last night," cleared up the mystery surrounding the elements of good looks. At all events never show a cloud upon your face, nature, one eye is as blue as indigo,

he was hired and assisted in his accom- hosts of friends, and add to the number "Dr. Fairfield!" I cried

"Gentlemen," the president resumed, 'I have caused the remains to be secret

threw open the window, after which we found the remains in an excellent state permanent fences:

On April 2, three days after Dr. Fair- janitor of the college rushed, pale and positive that Richard Vandevere was maple, elm, oak, black walnut and hardy

"By whom?" I cried. "By Dr. Fairfield, otherwise Ralph from the swamp grows vigorously on Arlington," replied Dr. D-, who high ground. The plan for building "Gentlemen, the junitor informs me seemed in his excitement to have lost this fence by fastening oak scantling,

"Ralph Arlingtion!" I exclaimed. "Yes, Mr. Willoughby. When I read loosely through the timber and screw that diary of poor Richard Vandevere's firmly two inches into the tree and the Dr. D --- ordered a search to be im- which you found, I recollected having timber. The bolts can be turned out as arrived in New York in 1846 with his them in placed. In sections of twenty wife-or a woman he called his wife- five rods, posts are set and firmly bracand later an extensive reputation. He Each wire is provided with a stretcher

had always given evasive answers when by which the tension is regulated. The questioned regarding his life previous to stretchers are made of } inch round 1846, and his friends soon learned that iron, one foot long with eye at end to the sublect was a disagreeable one to hold the wire and thread cut six inches him. His wife died two years after their on the other which goes through the arrival in America, and-"

garden outside. We rushed to the win- winter to allow for contraction by frost dow. Dr. Fairfield lay upon the The size of wire, number of strands, and ground, groaning terribly. "Good Heaven!" exclaimed Dr. D-

'he has shot himself!" "He has been outside the window listening!" Clayton cried. We leaped into the garden, and bor

"He cannot live!" announced Dr D-, atter a brief examination.

en is almost an end." After a brief pause he resumed: stitution he recognized me, although I conditions of success. did not see him. He sent for me by Mr. Willoughby. I dared not disobey the summons. I went to him. As I enter-

brings with it is the thought that Miriease. He might die then and there! winian hypothesis, how the keeping up that they will have to endure yet greatblind, doting fool! That cursed villain, But soon it became apparent to my of such interference with the feet, for er suffering in order to get back. Ralph Arlington has allow him to recover? Why not kill through arrest of development in that college I met Dr. Fairfield. I gave him we meet no power on earth can save chased for the purpose of making certain experiments. He would be univer- whose feet were not properly attended to None of the boys wear shoes in the sally believed to have died of heart dis- in their infancy, who will suffer years of spring." But his mother said, "No, May 31.-To-day, I secured passage

discovered in the stomach; I was certain [N. Y. Sun. that suspicion would point to me, and that my life would be forfeited. These thoughts so affected me that, as you remember, I fainted. All that day I racked my brain for some means of es cape from the terrible exposure with find a way to peace and quietness if you

which I was threatened. Finally I de- have the will." cided upon the plan which I put into execution, and which has concealed the man, and he wanted to help his parish evidence of my crime from the world loners if he could. body at midnight and bury it in the churchyard."

Dr. Fairfield said, quickly and nervous. disappearance of Richard Vandevere's the world believes in those who advermight you not conquer in time?"

An Englishman has analyzed the causes of railroad accidents, and comes that it be used as a subject for dissection, lock and key. I wish to make an autop- to the conclusion that human machinery of Arkansas and a grandson of the fa- who delivered the twins, bears testimony sy of the body in your presence. Come is respondable for 41 per cent, of mous Davy, will vist the Centennial, ta- to the correctness of this statement, and with me."

The body in your presence. Come is respondable for 41 per cent. of the correctness of this statement, and them; defective signals for 28 per cent.; with me."

Bank of Osage, lows, numbered over 1, 750, for they are forgeries. The bills are genuine, but were stolen before being and watch and an authentic portrait of the lowest points, the sale deposits gone into the hands of moneyed men himself, and then who'll squander your conduct business have already parted to the correctness of this statement, and them; defective signals for 28 per cent.; and then who'll squander your conduct business have already parted to the correctness of this statement, and them; defective signals for 28 per cent.; and then who'll squander your conduct business have already parted to the correctness of this statement, and them; defective signals for 28 per cent.; and the lowest points, the sale deposits gone into the hands of moneyed men have a general consultation of the faculty over this remarkable genuine, but were stolen before being and watch and an authentic portrait of the correctness of this statement, and the correctness of this stateme secting-room. There, upon a slab, lay defective rolling stock for I3 per cent. the old pioneer.

been an overstock."

A New "What Is It?"

Somerset

Living Trees for Fence. The "man bug" is the name of a most A writer in an exchange has the folsect creation-if insect it be-that can now he seen at the News Letter office. This remarkable curiosity reached here ance on horseback. He was very dark, with long, shaggy black hair, very overhanging evaluations of Richard Very overhanging evaluations and on the bark william to disclosed the startling fact that the storage on Wednesday last on the bark william on the bark will prove sudstantial and not on the bark william on the bark will prove sudstantial and not on the bark will be a subject to attacks of vertigo. The body of Richard Vandevere ar- large quantity of arsenic-enough to very expensive. That the roads shall be overhanging eye-brows, and an immense beard. His features were large and coarse, his eyes intensely black and piercing. His manner was very brusque and on the first floor of the building. -scarcely civil-and he soon became The next morning, just before the knife. "The man was poisoned. How inches in diameter at the base, they may with yellow or orange spots. This is hour appointed for the dissection, the the deed was done I know not, but I am be used as supports for wire fence. Sugar about five inches long by two and a half broad, of a beetle shape and terminating pose. They common cedar transplanted at the head in a pair of very red and evergreens are adapted to this purvicious looking eyes and two horny mandibles of a like color and a decidedly snappish appearance. It has no ap-I looked up and saw that I was pass—that the body of the man Richard Vanog a but erected a short distance from devere has disappeared from the premhad been accustomed to awe us.

this lence by lastening oak scantling, two inches square by four in length, to the trees with coach bolts. Two and one-half inch bolts five inches long go its body. These are about twelve or fourteen inches in length and singularly resemble those of a man in regard to called by the students and the townsmediately commenced. But the body met Arlington, the false friend and sethe growth of the tree requires. The ture stands some foot and a half high, walks with a long, crane-stride, and is like a nothing so much as an immens which he had ever since lived. His name, or whence he came, no one knew.

The dat this spot and erected the hut in been obtained, the president sent to semblance to Arlington. I at once caus which pass in holes eight inches apart, fune bug on stilts. Its only known and of sufficient size, to allow the wires and of sufficient size, to allow the wires and of sufficient size, and these, when introductions are sufficient size, and these sufficient size, and the sufficient size, and the sufficient size sufficient s ed into the large bird-cage that confine it, it seizes with a sudden dash of its with his affairs or himself. He seemed then gave up all hope of ever solving possessed no positive proof of the correctness of my supposition. But little between the trees. The top and buttom Messrs. Edwards, Dickson and other could be learned of him, save that he wires are wedged in the pickets to keep "bug sharps" who have seen it are totally unable to classify or place it. This rara avis can be seen at this office until and soon obtained a lucrative practice, ed, to which the ends of the wires fasten. Friday next. On Saturday it goes East in the care of Dr. Helmerding, through

veritable wonder.

Black Hills and Starvation.

A Parental Veto.

From the Burlington Hawkeys,

other Singular Features.

freak of nature.

post with handle nut. The tension of The report of a pistol sounded in the the wires should be slackened during closeness of pickets should be graded to meet the demands of the fence. One of the advantages of this kind of fence is exemption from snow-drifts, while the trees are things of beauty and constantly

increas in value. Dr. Fairfield into the house. He was A fence on our place very nearly anbleeding profusely from a wound in the swering to this description, supported on maple trees of twelve or fourteen years planting has answered so good a purpose the past reason that we can recommend "You were right, Dr. D--" the dy- it for trial to others. Farmers plant ing man said; "I am that wretch Ralph your trees. Mark this Centennial year Arlington, who for twenty years led a by millions of trees planted along the life of torture, which he thanks Heav- public highway. An average of 10 days indicionaly employed by each farmer in _"I the country, in planting highway trees wish to confess all before I die I mur cannot fail to prove a satisfactory investdered Richard Vandevere. When I ment of time. Plant with care and passe! his cabin on my way to this in- mulch thoroughly, these are important

are exceedingly vain of them, and some other outfitting towns on the frontier. terrible thought occurred to me. Why of an almost footless type of femininity, medical men in the country, would retheir rivals. It is found, however, that it I will wattle your tender cuticle with er voice, for he was fast recovering. In manipulation in the first months of in- the debate with a sigh, and when the should tend to settle the origin of these She had got it on the wrong man an instant I had emptied the arsenic in fancy. As for the small-footed Ameri- yeas and nays were called his motion early builders and taxpayers of the We leave the reader to imagine her to a tumbler, which I then half filled can ladies of Washington society, about did not prevail, and the house soon afwith water and gave to Vandevere. He some of whom so much has lately been ter adjourned. But the boy went out of drank it and fell back, crying out: "Bit- said, we must observe, with due repect the yard by the alleyway, and took off ter, bitter!" I cannot, I dare not tell you for them and for the facts, that the feet his shoes and stockings, and hid them

The Will and the Way.

"But," said the minister, "it takes two to make a quarrel. Perhaps you may

The minister was a kindly disposed

"I wish I could think so," sighed Mrs. "I've certainly tried to please Joseby; but it's no use. If I have beef for din-One hour later Ralph Arlington died, ner, he'll growl because it ain't bacon: and if I have bacon, he says I want to make a smoked hog of him. If I boil

should bear up." Robert H. Crockett, a leading lawyer much larger than the othor. Dr. Smith, what produced it.

INTERESTING DISCOVERY. From San Francisco News Letter, March 25. Relies of an Ancient City in New Madrid County, Missouri.

[St. Louis Republican.] Captain Whitely has just returned from New Madrid county with over 100 mains of mounds serving either for outlooks to watch an enemy, in which are about the area of this ancient encamp ment. The indubitable traces of the gin of these people. The houses were quite small, from eight to twelve feet in The foundations of the dwellings if not the entire structure, were made of a kind here by Captain Whitely, have transverse holes passing through, supposed by some to act as ventilators to the dwellings, as the bricks being laid flatwise in whom it will be sent to Professor Henthe wall, the sides of the wall would be rv, at the Smithsonian Institute at thereby pierced with a multitude of Washington, and from which scientific

holes for the admission or the outside quarter we hope to hear more of this Those who seek death by slow starvation will doubtless be able to find it in the Black Hills. Flour is quoted at 10 to 11 cents a pound, and bacon 25, sugar 40, salt 12, and beans 15 cents a pound, while molasses sells at \$2.50 to \$3 per gallon, and tobacco at from \$1 to \$1.50 a pound. After traveling 250 miles by ox or mule team from the nesrest railroad point, Cheyenne, the gold-hunter finds himself at the diggings, where if he is lucky enough to get a good claim and is an expert miner, he can by hard month; which would scarce pay for proed my throat and bore me to the ground. who have hardly anything in the shape which publish glowing accounts of the Have dozen men. I had abandoned all hope birth of an aristocratic female infant, no one has returned with as much monderfully well in my profession. Have dozen men. I had abandoned all hope more patients than I can possibly attend to. Have secured Dr. Ralph Arlington and have been derfully well in my profession. Have secured by various appears that the sum of ever leaving the place alive, when her feet are compressed by various appears to the sum of the to. Have secured Dr. Ralph Arlington of Liverpool as a partner He is a young physician of remarkable ability. * suddenly his grasp relaxed, and he fell phiances, and thus reduced in size. The flow of blood to them is impeded by Illinois than in the diggings; and that Yesterday noon a bold, bad boy, who

duck, goose, owl, hawk, and probably her to the dining-room, and she spread Telegraph. the roo-ter from his comb. heads carved out of clay, representing a Finding the door sjar she rushed in ease. If a doubt arose on the point a agony, in the process of distortion, that my darling boy, I cannot let you go type of face more resembling the ancient turned down the bed clothes and slapword from me, one of the most eminent that they may get as small as those of bare footed, and if you tease me about Aztec race than the modern American ped the mustard draft on the uncon Indian, but further and more careful cious man's bowels. He instantly spran: move it. 'Water! water! water!' the no efforts begun after the early period of the unkind end of a cheerful skate- inquiry is necessary before coming to up in hed and in a strange voice said prostrate man cried, this time in a firm- life, can make up for the want of proper strap." So the bold, bad boy closed any conclusion on this point, which "My God! Madam what are you doing?

Velocity of Electricity. all that followed. Suffice it is to say of some of them, as compared with behind the wood-pile, and scudded merthat I remained with him till he died. those which are to be found in high rily off to school, and everybody ad velocity of electricity, presents the fol- him as thoroughly as the mustard would Then I removed all trace of the poison. Chinese society, are of dephantine pro- mired his flat, muddy bare feet. But lowing facts, which may answer the freand hastened to the college. The next portions. It a small-footed Washington when he got out of school the ground quent inquiry, How fast electricity can ing, before many of the guests were up the remnants of whose huts and feasts "Let us sing a hymr," said Sankey. morning the announcement that a will belie were to place her foot alongside of was covered with snow, and he had a move over the wires? Eliminating the a man and woman, trunk, bandboxes are dredged from a mountain lake. In "If I feel that I am right! I know had been found in which Vandevere that of a real tip top Chinese belle, we very solemn time hippity-hopping back somewhat unscientific character of the etc., might have been seen leaving the left his body to this institution, filled are sorry to say that even patriotic home, and when he got there he couldn't query, Mr. Lovering states in 1869 Pro- hotel, for the woman's name was on the me with horror. I knew that the pres- American observers would burst out in- tell the woodpile from a haystack, and fessor Winlock, of Harvard, sent elec- handkerchief. ence of arsenic would be immediately to laughter at its size and splayness .- his shoes and stockings might as well tric signals from Cambridge to San have been in the middle of the ocean Francisco, and thence by other lines to for all the good they did him. So he Canada, and back again to Cambridge, went into the house, and after a great over a loop of wire measuring 7,200 weeks a singular discovery has been gives rise, and after a great over a loop of wire measuring 7,200 weeks a singular discovery has been gives rise, and after a great over a loop of wire measuring 7,200 weeks a singular discovery has deal of filibustering, he made his report, miles. This long journey was perform- made at the house of Jessie Garth, for Mexicans, that the popular notion of the for making too much noise, and kick 'em which was tabled, and the house went ed by electricity in about two-thirds of many years deceased. It is said that a Aztecs has been formed. into committee of the whole on the state a second, and no small portion of this distinct and accurate likeness of Mrs. But this is rank confusion, for the And how would you like to break your of the boy. His mother took the floor, brief interval was lost in bringing into Grath, who has been dead for twenty sculptured buildings of Copan and Pal- back splitting and lugging in wood and after an exciting and highly inter- action the thirteen repeaters which were years, can be seen on a pane of glass in enque were the work of another and when you know your great strong hosesting session the committee arose and interpolated into the circuit. The total the upper sash of one of the windows, probably a preceding race to the Nahuas, band was smoking his pipe at the willthe house adjourned, while the boy rub- transmission time between Brast, France, presenting very much the appearance of of whom the Aztecs were part. The fact lage store? O, yeal Lean fancy your likbed such portions of his anatomy as he and Duxbury, Mass., by way of St. a photograph negative. The discovery is that a previous people had better houses ing it! Don't tell use, sir!" the sexton, fifty dollars to remove the Joseby, folding her hands in her lap. - could reach, and framed a bill for the Pierre, was 816 of one second. The to-said to have been made by a woman who than the Mexicans, built grander cities, more perfect prevention of chilblains. tal distance by cable is 3,329 nautical was washing clothes in the yard, who and faded out before the kingdom of must believe that where there's a will Child Born with Full Beard and Pierre being 2,580 nautical miles, and through the window, and went inside to fine field for speculation. - [The Galaxy. "Where there's a will there's always a The St. Joseph, Missouri, Herald says: greens, he wants cabbage; and when I A woman living on Main street last ev. the transmission time between Brest self seen the singular picture. Dr. Brown

A Mountain of Salt. while the other is as black as coal. Its "Is it possible!" Walter Clayton and I pockets. Such are live people; and in xclaimed, simultaneously.

We hadn't got more's half way down then he found a pocket book with \$261 these live days nobody wants anything there was a speck of sunshine on his face.

We hadn't got more's half way down then he found a pocket book with \$261 there was a speck of sunshine on his face. "Garrison told me," continued the to do with any but your live men and inside of his own house-but there is not, developed tusks protrude from the gums, a miserable sea-marsh on the route from distinct about nine o'clock in the mornpresident, "that he himself removed the women. Our advice to everybody-ex- Goodness! how bright and chipper he giving the appearance of a young boar Brashear to New Iberia, up the River ing and three in the evening, than at It was always so," he said with a sigh. body from the dissecting-room and bur- cept in matrimony-is to advertise. It was when I was plain Miranda Small, pig. The face of this wonderful produc- Teche, in Louisiana, is one of the won- any other time of the day. ied it at midnight in a spot which he is sure to return largely, increase your and he wanted me to be Mrs. Joseby.—
designated in the churchyard; and that reputation as a business man, make You'd a thought he was a paragon."

tion is covered with a fuzz, forming a ders of the world. How this island, beard as strong as most youths of seven-containing over three hundred acres of A DEEP WELL.—This well, which is "But, my dear Mrs. Joseby, sour looks teen sport. The child has three hands excellent land, ever came into existence over four thousand feet in depth, is in plishment of the deed by Dr. Fairfield." of shrewd and sensible people in the and thoughtless words need not harm us one of these useful appendages being in such a locality is a matter of conject the village of Sperenberg, about twenty world, of which there has never yet if we are proof against them. If you double-barreled, as it were. Of course ture. Vegetation is prolific, and the miles from Berlin. It was begun about fers of registered bonds at the Treasury Dio Lewis is, as usual, mietaken. Wins feel in your heart that you are right, you it is very small, but the formation is scenery is beautiful and varied. Here five years ago by the government author in Washington City is hailed as a heal- is only a mocker, while those who have perfect, with fingers and nails to match, is an immense bed of pure rock salt lities, to ascertain the existence of rock thy sign for business, which, it is infertried whiskey know it is always in dead The child is how-legged, and one foot is and scientific men are puzzled to know salt beneath the strata of gypsum occurred, must be rapidly recovering from the earnest with a man."

A Falling Rock from Lookout Moun- A

visited the mountain for the purpose of taking a look at the immense mass, which is slowly severing itself from the more specimens of pottery and relics of ledge of rocks at Bragg's Bluff, near the plicated piece of mechanism intended to of intelligence beyond belief. the pre-historic residents of Missouri. Italy gate. The first indications of this which will be classified and added to the severing process were discovered about a Centennial collection. Captain Whiteweek ago, and since then the work has ly and the party who accompanied him been almost constantly going on. The have traced the remains of a former ex-tensive city, which shows the evidence of having been densely populated. The 3:30 P. M., it had reached a distance of city was surrounded by fortification,—
the embankments with covered ways

about sixteen feet from the parent ledge,
the embankments with covered ways

The crevice is about thirty feet deep.—

The would Pedro
tomb of Washington. Upon one side give. connecting the outworks of which have The length of the falling rock is about one hundred feet, the width about twen. Stands an American and on the other a closed round one of her fingers, and the found skeletons, associated with orink-ing vessels, are also found distributed out of which, standing under this great mass of rock, so many people have drank dwellings, streets and avenues, were also falls it will take with it this cool chamand a curtain, suspended across the face she saw a dark object moving in the feeling perfectly secure. When the rock the proper survey of which would doubtless tend to throw new light on the oriliameter and located about ten feet apart. fall across the road and go thundering They existed in regular rows, with streets and avenues running through the cry at ing with it trees and whatever may be in its track. People are still passing in front of it on foot, and a few venture of adobe brick, of a red color like mod-ern brick, of coarser material The brick, rock fell from the front of the moving mass. It is still moving, though less rapidly than heretofore. The fall will be a wonderful sight.

A Scoundrelly Scheme.

The New York Tribune says: One of the most nefarious scheme Exhibition has just beenbrought to light that the bricks in a mealleable state Letters have been sent from Philadelwere pierced with round sticks for the phia to young girls in the inland towns more readily handling and burning, and and villages, signed by "Hayes, Arlingimpression of their form, in the shape Committee," stating that they wish to of a hole. The sites of these ancient engage "comely and respectable roung habitations are plainly observed by a ladies" to take charge of flower and sunken depression of several feet in the news stands, act as cashiers in refreshground, leaving evidence like that seen ment departments, sell pictures, books. in the sites of demolished habitations etc. Wages of from \$8 to \$15 are offerfrequently met with in the country in ed, besides expenses paid and "a chance modern times. At first sight of these to see the grand Exhibition every day." habitations, the observer might be led to The girls are advised not to consult their believe that these ancient people lived parents, as they might object to even so in cellars and built their houses under advantageous a scheme; but are request pondent of the New York Times who ground, but this impression will vanish ed to come to Philadelphia at once, when has carefully explored the diggings, re-ports that very few make that, while the largest amount realized has been \$55 per lings beneath the surface. Besides, on The letters are lithographed and have one side of the ancient city, there is still been sent out in great numbers. The visions. The correspondent of the Kansas City Times says he has carefully period may have overflowed its banks, woman of ordinary sense and experience. submergrag portions of the site of the but unfortunately, giddy girls in the seen a nugget; that no gold from the ancient city long after its extinction, country, anxious for adventure and mines has been sold at Custer City; and added its deposits to the accumula. glimpse of the world, have not enough Small Feet.

The high-born ladies of pride and fa-hion in China have very small feet.

mines has been sold at Custer City; and that the opinion of old miners there is that the diggings are emphatically a fraud. The excitement is kept up, met my eyes. I make such extracts from the diary as are essential to a clear unteresting of my story.

The mignor and the but he closed and locked the door, fa-hion in China have very small feet. In the mignor and thus making them shown to come the changes are essential to a clear unteresting of my story.

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I was utterly powerless in his hand; he seemed endowed with the strength of a way with self-conceit. From the very but it is more than ever manifest that the strength of a way with self-conceit. From the very but it is more than ever manifest that the strength of a way with self-conceit. From the very but it is more than ever manifest that the strength of a way with self-conceit. From the very but it is more than ever manifest that the strength of a way with self-conceit. From the very but it is more than ever manifest that the strength of a way with self-conceit.

the mustard from the castor on be There are miniature busts of male handkerchief and hastened up stairs feelings. She found her own room and in accents of horror told her hus band the facts. The extreme ludicrous-Professor Lovering, of Cambridge, in ness of the incident set him into an in-

An Electrical Likeness. miles, the distance from Brest to St. imagined some one was watching her Mexico was founded, of course offers a there's always a way." that from St. Pierre to Duxbury 749 see who it was. We gather these facts nautical miles. By calculation, then from Dr Charles Brown, who has him-

tise, and it plants its dollars in their "Ah, parson, if he had a particle of nose is hooked like a parrot and its ears A mass of ninety million tons of pure, were well acquainted with Mrs. Grath, We hadn't got more's half way down not hurry away.

The Chattanooga (Tenn.) Commercial says: "On Sunday hundreds of people

connected with the coming Centennial

The Wrong Man.

It was a very embarrassing circum-

still continue

Brings About the Resurrec-

[Detroit Tribune April 1.]

Mr. Andrew Gandron, of 235 St. Aubin agenue, is, after nearly a year of there, out from its hole came the turtle constant labor, about completing a com- and singling out this child gave evidence Washington," and which it is his inten- little girl had but to call that name two feet high, three and a half feet broad, of the garden-directly. Any one also been an inch an hour, but on Sunday at and two and a half feet deep. The low approaching or attempting familiarities to be 6,000 tons. The nick commences at the side and upon the recess beyond head, run out to its fullest extent of neck are painted allegorical figures and em would be waggled aganist her with avblems. The machinery, which is quite ery token of love a turtle could give. complicated, is operated by a spring There came a time during the sumclock. When it is set in metion a min- mer when the little mistress was sick .distance between the road and the cliff is nel soldiers. The latter stand at an was Pedro returning to his hole in the so small that the rock will undoubtedly so the tomb opens and a fac smile of the Each day for weeks, with the opening "order." In the course of a minute or yard, the tomb and present arms, and Wash- waiting on the steps. tation. Then there descends from the right in a corner, and actting his little

requiring about three minutes. and properly proportioned. The guns Mr. Ap. Jones, the sticks having burned out, leave the ton & Bro., Agents for the Executive carried by the soldiers are in exact imitation of Springfield rifles, and the costume of the soldiers is patterned after the uniforms of the armies of this country and France. The dress of Washington is the same in cotor and style as that worn by him at the battle of Tren. persons can tell just what a man is by

A Great Shoe Show. This is unquestionably the age of excles, whether lasts or raw materials need American, Bogerswille, Tennossee in the manufacture of covering for the feet, assortments of shoe findings, as yarns, wax, nails, screws, etc., machines The keenest plessure that my success 'Water! water!' I saw that the terrible compression of certain arteries, so that those who are rushing to the Black trowels and tools used for fashioning stance, and it happened at a hotel in historical or antiquarian character, conand ornamenting the pottery, and whet. Mt. Vernon. A man and his wife were taining specimens of shoes, boots, etc., their burden, insensible alike to joy or brought on a severe attack of heart dis
It can easily be understood, on the Dar
tion and suffering, with all the chances stones for sharpening the stones axes and stopping there. The man was subject formerly worn, pictorial representations sorrow; helpless alike—the strong man other instruments in use. But the fan- to severe attacks of colic, and was taken illustrative of the history of the art, as the infant-and over all the sleeptastic character of the ornamentation of sick there in the night. He told his casts of the feet, etc. Premiums will less eye, which, since the world began, the vessels is what strikes every one wife that he must have immediate re- consist in honorable mention in diplom- has never lost sight of one pillowed with surprise. These are very accurate lief or he could not live, thought a mus- as, and in prizes to the amount of 5,000 head. Thoughts like these come to us figures of fish, frogs, hedgehogs and tard draft would relieve him. She francs. The lowest prizes will be at in our wakeful night hours with an alsuch animals as existed at the time; be- hastily robed herself, went down stairs least 300 francs, and the articles exhib- most painful intensity. Then eternity

The Ancient Cities of Mexico.

hat deserved the name of civilization mission ere they depart. in the northern continent. There was rganized power; there were homes to In England they tell how Sankey ight for; there were the wealth, distinc- walked up to a grenadier, and, taking him ion of caste, and highly developed re- affectionately by the belt, said, "Young igion, which are to some extent compar- man, I likewise am a soldier of heaven. tile with the details of our own polity. "Old 'un." returned the grenadier, The conquerous first swept all this civ- you're a long way from your barracks, ilization out of existence, and destroyed anyhow." Well, there was a very rough very trace of it they could discover .- young man, whom Sankey saw staring Then they gave most glowing descrip around at the close of the meetings, and sur inspection and criticism are as men- looking for salvation?" "No," was the gre as those of some forgotten people reply, "I am looking for Sal Jackson." the popular mind their descriptions are that I'm right. Not harm me! Goodness combined with the discovery of highly mercy! how can I help feeling when I sculptured ruins in Guatemals and other get a plunge right through the heart! countries south of Mexico, and it is by How would you like to be called cross adding together all the conjectures to and ugly when you were only sick? and We learn that within the last two which the sight of these carved stones your husband should cuff the little ones

Just Bls Luck.

"You see," said the despondent man Says the Boston Post: "People who boil cabbage, he says it is only fit for ening gave birth to twins which, while and St. Pierre was 639 of a second, and remembers that about twenty years ago. on the pickle barrel, addressing the Esau and Jacob. One is very dark hair- traversed—one at the rate of about 4,000 a sudden flash of lightning, and the doc-"It must try your patience, sister ed and the other is a chalky white. The nautical miles a second, and the other at tor's theory is that the outlines of her people has bad luck. Now I remember wort!" With his dying breath George Garrison and intelligence is one of the leading Joseby; but if you could only smile, and former is what we would call a lusus the rate of 4,230 nautical miles a second. dow pane at that time. The youngest Tom Jellicks, and he went down one daughter of Mr. Grath, and others who side of it and I went down on the other-"that Tom Jellicks was the luckiest Irreparably snubbed in the eyes of the man in the world, and that I never had no luck."-[New Orleans Republican. St. Louis Republican: "Dio Lous sura

ring in the locality. At a depth of two depression of the past two years. Is it who are not required to sell them?

out a little way from the lunch box, and the net turned out to be a common mudhome a year or so before, and let it looss

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in the garden. When the children began to play

The Latest Thing in Pets.

IMrs. M. G. Fisher In the Arcadian. One of the oddest pels that 'ever ex-

isted belongs to a little girl in Seventy-

first street. A visitor met her at the gate last summer with what she suppos-

ed was a lunch box under her arm. To

the lady's surprise a snake like head ran

Some one had brought the creature

of the recess of the cabinet rises slowly, room, and shortly after, hearing a pampbringing to view the tomb and the senti- ing on the stairs, went out and found it

father of his country arises therefrom, of the outside door, in would walk Simultaneously the soldiers face towards Pedro. The girl generally found him ington performs the usual military salu- He would go to the stairs, stand up-

clouds an American eagle, holding in its feet into the stairs above, pull himself talons a staff, on one end of which is an up. This operation he would repeat till American flag and upon the other the he reached the landing. If the door innational ensign of France, carrying in to the sick child's room was closed, he its break a laurel wreath with which it waited patiently to be allowed to enter crowns the resurrected Washington .- When taken up and laid beside its The machinery continues to revolve, mistress it made no effort to move, but and the scene is reversed and repeated lay for hours, with its solemn head wagas often as desired, each representation ging from side to side.

At night it waddled off to the stairs, The figures are made upon a scale of and then the racket commenced, as it fell about three inches to the foot. The off each step in clumsy fashion, soundheads are carved by Mr. Julius Melch- ing like that famous clock in the Iners, and the bodies are minutely correct goldsby legends that went hopping after

A Boy on Heads. Heads are of different shapes and

sizes. They are full of notions. Large heads do not always hold the most. Some the shape of his head. High heads are the best kind. Very knowing people are called long-headed. A fellow that called hot-headed. If he isn't quite so ibitions or expositions. In June of the bright they call him soft-headed; if he resent year there is to be what may be won't be coaxed nor turned they call called a grand shoe exhibition in the him pig-headed. Animals have very Swiss city of Bern. In fact, the show is small heads. The heads of fools slant to comprehend every species and variety back. When your head is cut off you of clothing for the human feet, and the are beheaded. Our heads are all covered practical objects of the exposition are- with hair, except bald heads. There are first, the introduction of a more sensible, other kinds of heads be-ides our heads. convenient and in every sense more ra There are barrel heads, heads to sermona tional style of covering for the feet -and some ministers used to have fifamong all classes of the population, and teen heads to one sermon; pin heads, secondly, to promote the shoe industry heads of cattle, as the farmer calls his by bringing together under one view its cows and oxen; head winds, drum heads, Subjects or articles to be exhibited are a head, heads of chapters, head him off, wood, India rubber, iron, etc.; all arti- first be sure you are right .-- [Young

Midnight.

and tools for making, mending, etc. The There is something beautiful and sub-Exposition is also intended to have a lime in the husb of midnight. The my-England and stolen almost every I could poison him; in my pocket was a ladies who find it difficut to walk on acble. But morning comes, and the stir and hum of life chase them away, as the warm sun dries up the dew drops, while In Mexico the Spaniards found all these thoughts perform their reviving

"Still," urged the minister meekly, "I

way, say you? Well, perhaps you think so, sir, but I don't. I know that I'd like to make blessed sunshine in this house

The good clergyman looked at his watch' and remembered that he would be late for another appointment if he did Vessyins is waiting for warm weather

to erupt, for the snow and ice around Naples now would make short work of its fires and thus its majesty would be

hundred and eighty feet the salt was not possible that men in need of money Dou't teach your boy to work, for if Refuse all \$5 notes of the National reached. The boring was prosecuted by to conduct business have already parted you do the first thing you know he'll